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PATENT APPLICATION  
Attorney Docket No. 15966-557A (CURA-57A)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

FIRST-NAMED INVENTOR: Michael Jeffers

FOR: TREATMENT OF INFLAMMATORY BOWEL DISEASE GROWTH  
FACTORS**Box PATENT APPLICATION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**REQUEST FOR FILING A NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)**

1. This is a request for filing a non-provisional patent application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b).
  - 1.1 This application claims priority to USSN 60/246,206 filed November 6,2000.
2. This application is a total of 145 pages. This application includes:
  - 137 pages of specification (not including claims, abstract, or figures)
  - 7 pages of claims
  - 1 page of abstract
  - 43 sheets of drawings (Figures 1-63)
3. A Combined Declaration/Power of Attorney (unsigned) is included.
4. Fees associated with this application have been calculated as follows:

CLAIMS AS FILED						
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. 1.16(a) \$740.00	
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(c))	45	- 20 =	25	\$18.00	\$450.00	
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b))	5	- 3 =	2	\$84.00	\$168.00	
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. 1.16(d))	0	0	0	\$270.00	\$-0-	
				SUBTOTAL:	\$1,358.00	
				Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity:	\$679.00	
				<b>TOTAL FEE:</b>	<b>\$679.00</b>	

**FIRST-NAMED INVENTOR:            Jeffers et al.**  
**Request for New Nonprovisional Application (37 C.F.R. §1.53(b))**

5.       A check (#10748) in the amount of **\$679.00** is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees due, or credit overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 15966-557A (CURA-57A).

6.       Small entity status is appropriate for this application.

7.       A return receipt postcard is enclosed.

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